

HOUSE BILL 1381

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CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Maryland Higher Education Commission – Proposed 2+2 Facility on a**
3 **Community College Campus – ~~Approval~~ Decision Required**

4 FOR the purpose of requiring the Maryland Higher Education Commission to ~~grant~~
5 make all remaining necessary ~~approval~~ decisions for a 2+2 facility proposed to
6 be built on the campus of a community college on or before a certain date;
7 requiring the Commission to report on the decisions made under this Act to
8 certain committees of the General Assembly on or before a certain date; and
9 generally relating to the ~~approval~~ decision by the Commission ~~of~~ about a
10 proposed 2+2 facility on the campus of a community college.

11 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
12 MARYLAND, That, on or before August 1, 2012, the Maryland Higher Education
13 Commission shall ~~grant~~ make all necessary ~~approval~~ decisions for a proposed 2+2
14 facility that a constituent institution of the University System of Maryland is planning
15 to build on the campus of a community college, if the constituent institution has:

16 (1) a signed memorandum of understanding between the constituent
17 institution and the community college for the construction of a 2+2 facility;

18 (2) signed memorandums of understanding and articulation
19 agreements on the 2+2 programs to be offered in the proposed facility;

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



1 (3) received programmatic approval from the University System of
2 Maryland Board of Regents for the programs to be offered at the proposed 2+2 facility;

3 (4) received programmatic approval from the Maryland Higher
4 Education Commission for the programs to be offered at the proposed 2+2 facility; and

5 (5) received financing approval from the University System of
6 Maryland Board of Regents for the construction of the proposed 2+2 facility.

7 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, on or before August 1,
8 2012, the Maryland Higher Education Commission shall report to the Governor and,
9 in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the Senate Budget and
10 Taxation Committee, the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs
11 Committee, and the House Appropriations Committee, on the decisions made under
12 Section 1 of this Act.

13 SECTION ~~2.~~ 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take
14 effect July 1, 2012.

Approved:

Governor.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

President of the Senate.